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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Applicant : Inose, et al.  
App. No : 10/553,376  
Filed : October 19, 2005  
For : METHOD FOR ISOLATING NUCLEIC ACIDS,  
AND A KIT AND APPARATUS FOR NUCLEIC  
ACID ISOLATION  
Examiner : Angela Maria Bertagna  
Art Unit : 1637  
Conf # : 6992

**Mail Stop RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

(X) Enclosed:  
(x) Amendment/Reply in 7 pages.  
(x) Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$810)		\$810
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$810</b>

3. Payment:

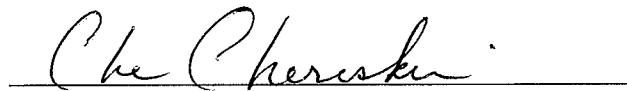
(X) The amount of \$810 will be paid via EFS Web.

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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP

Dated: September 1, 2009

  
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